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In re application of:

Steven G. Reed et al.

Application No.: 10/084,843

Filed: February 25, 2002

For: COMPOUNDS AND METHODS
FOR IMMUNOTHERAPY AND
DIAGNOSIS OF TUBERCULOSIS

Customer No.: 20350

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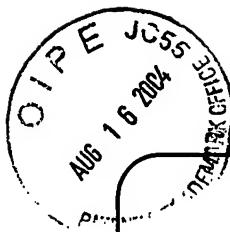
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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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